

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at my farm adjoining Monroe City on the south, on

Monday, September 23
ONE BROOD MARE
THREE MILCH COWS

Hogs 60 stock hogs, weigh from 80 to 100 pounds
8 brood sows with pig 1 Poland China boar

2-Horse Wagon, Cultivator, Plows, Cooking Stove, etc

TERMS—All sums under \$10 cash; on all sums of \$10 and over a credit of ten months will be given, purchaser to give approved note bearing 6 per cent interest

LEWIS LUNDBERG

W. T. YOUELL, Auctioneer

Where Would We Be Now?

From the Daily Journal.

An Englishwoman's declaration that the falling off of the birth rate in England is due to the precedence of millinery over matrimony in the hearts of her fellow women gives rise to fearful speculations. What if Mother Eve had gone in for fashions instead of a family?

Marshall-Knight.

Miss Bess Marshall, formerly of this city, has given her old friends and relatives the slip. She and her sweetheart, Ed Knight, of Detroit Mich., are now one.

May the hey day of loves roses always be fair for them.

Dr. D. A. Yowell, of Beardstown, Ill., has been spending several days with his parents, D. K. Yowell and wife. Bert has many friends here who are always glad to see him.

Otis Dennis, of Hannibal, has been with Monroe friends.

Mrs. Frank Longacre, of Macon, is visiting her parents, H. Clough and wife.

Mark Able, after a brief visit, has returned to Calvary, Ky.

Mrs. J. W. Jackson, of Hannibal, formerly of this city, has been spending several days with old time friends. She was enroute to Denver, Colo., where the family will make its future home.

Hang All Grafters.

Waterbury, Conn., Sept. 14.—Representative George L. Lilley, member of the House Naval Affairs Committee, who has been criticised because of his outspoken attitude on Charleston Harbor, has written an open letter, in which he says:

"If I had the supreme law-making power in this country the only crime punishable with hanging would be that of grafting; murder would receive secondary consideration.

"Any man who sits as a member of the Committee on Naval Affairs and uses his efforts to obtain an appropriation for some tumbledown navy yard in his district to the end that he may provide well-paid jobs for his constituents in grafting. Not a single dollar may touch his hands, but just the same he is grafting—grafting out of the Government which he is paid to serve and sworn to serve."

John L. Spalding, representing the Western Watchman, one of the best Catholic newspapers in the United States, was with Monroe friends, Monday.

Frank Ahland, whose leg was amputated some time since at the Monroe City Hospital, went to Kansas City Monday to get an artificial leg.

Dr. A. M. Wood, of Lentner, has been spending several days with his brothers, Ferd and Lamar.

May Gill, the live hustler of Perry, has been with his friend, W. L. Bond.

John McGlasson, of Louisiana, came in to visit friends and to attend the fair.

Mrs. Joseph Harris, of Payson, Ill., has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Victor Yates.

Hon. Robt. Meriwether was a professional visitor in Palmyra, Thursday.

A southern Missouri daily is given credit for this: "Rattlesnake oil ten cents a glass," was the sign the traveler saw in the dry county. "What's it good for?" he asked. "Most anything, stranger," was the reply. "Three glasses will make you rich as Rockefeller, four will make you outrun a railroad train, an' six will put you so high on Hallelujah Hill you'll holler hello to the angels an' think the stars are fire coals for you to light yer pipe with!"

The Sturgeon Leader says: In order to please the members every church in Sturgeon should have two pastors. Let the one tell the truth and speak out. Let the other feed taffy and talk about the stars and things way off. Both sides will then be tickled. For some folks you have to grease to make them grin.

Mrs. Mary Meyer, of Burlington, Iowa, has accompanied her friends, William Berlin and wife, home for a visit.

Mark Hoblet, formerly of this section, new of Macon City, Ill., has been spending several days with Monroe friends.

J. H. Musgrove, of Hannibal, has been with friends in this city.

Miss Lilly Blanton, of Paris, has been with, Monroe friends.

Miss Su Anderson was with Hannibal friends Monday.

Ninety-three dogs and about 200 fox hunters, beg pardon, about 200 fox hunters and ninety-three dogs had none of a good time at the annual meet of the Missouri Fox Hunters' Association at Uncle B. Selding's 1400 acre farm in Monroe county last week. The foxes possibly found it a shade warm for the amount of work required of them in the annual exercises.—Brookfield Gazette.

The Palmyra people treated Monroe nicely during the fair. Palmyra's fair will be \$5.25 and Monroe has an opportunity to reciprocate and will.

OUR NATIONAL DANGER

We rush through life without taking time to eat, sleep or play, and as a result this is an age of indigestion, nervousness, irritability, sleeplessness and debility. The national danger is stomach weakness, due to the strenuous life.

With the discovery of Mi-o-na which strengthens the stomach muscles and stimulates secretion of the digestive juices so that the stomach does its work as it should, there is no longer any excuse for indigestion.

Mi-o-na never fails to cure stomach troubles, and is sold in 50-cent boxes by L. M. Wood, with a guarantee to refund the money if it does not give complete satisfaction.

Another Teacher

Miss Julia Megown went to Colorado and forgot to return to fill her position as teacher in the public school. Saturday afternoon the School Board unanimously elected Miss Rosa May Smith.

For the "steenth" time the DEMOCRAT respectfully suggests the Board Bond all teachers accepting positions.

Entertained

Miss Margaret Patton entertained some nine couple of her young friends at her pleasant home on Court Street, Saturday evening.

The evening was delightfully spent with music and games. The refreshments were not forgotten nor slighted.

Richard Rubison, of Hannibal spent Saturday and Sunday with Monroe relatives. It was his first visit back in twenty-three years and the changes and improvements have been so great that he could hardly realize that he was in Monroe.

Ira Melson and family, of Jacksonville, Florida, after a pleasing visit with the home-folks have returned to their home.

R. F. Pierceall and wife and Miss Belle Elliott spent Sunday with relatives at Lakenan.

Miss Georgie Dudley Gilkerson, of Palmyra has been spending a week with friends in this city.

Will Kendrick, of Lakenan, was with Monroe friends, Sunday.

L. B. Frye, of Lincoln, Neb., came in Friday to accompany his wife and babe, who have been visiting her parents, home.

Mrs. Mary A. Drake, of Quincy, arrived Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Stephen Beward.

R. Manning Walker has been having a two days siege of court at Palmyra.

Harry Boarman writes to relatives to say: Emma Owen says: As you get the DEMOCRAT there is nothing left for us to tell you because it tells all the news. We have had several frosts (Sept. 6) that have killed everything in the garden.

"A young Trenton bride was told she had a model husband. The day after she was married she looked in the dictionary and found that "model" was defined as "a small imitation of the real thing."

It Was Old.

When on the fair grounds Wednesday afternoon we were shown a fair badge of the dim and musty past. It was a white ribbon, such as is used to-day, yellowed by age and the ink once black, was faded and dim. Upon the ribbon was: Fayette County, Pa., fair 1853. Robert Jones, printer.

The ribbon was the regulation width and length as that of to day and the printers work the same, showing that in 54 years time there has been no change or improvement in that line.

Strange Lands Near Home.

This little book is one of a series of five, called The Youth's Companion Series, because they are composed of articles which originally appeared in the Youth's Companion.

Strange Lands Near Home includes sketches on Mexico, the West Indies and various points of interest in South America.

Many children are surprisingly unfamiliar with these neighbors and this is an excellent way to make their acquaintance.

The sketches have been prepared by authors whose work needs no introduction. The engravings originally used in the Youth's Companion are used to illustrate these volumes. They are attractively bound and inexpensive.

Swiss Family Robinson

This story is founded on the report of the captain of a Russian vessel, who, on one of his voyages discovered a group of fertile islands not far from New Guinea. On landing on one of these the crew was surprised to find it inhabited by a man, his wife and four sons who told this story to the captain.

The father had been a Swiss pastor and in the Revolution of 1798 had lost all his property. He resolved to become a missionary and for this purpose proceeded to England and there obtained an appointment among the savage tribes of Otaheite. From there he intended to go to New South Wales and remain to work his way in the newly found colony. He and his family sailed from England with other passengers and had a good voyage till they neared the coast of New Guinea. Here they were overtaken by a fearful storm. The father of the family tells the story, their trials, their wonderful discoveries, the dangers they encounter, etc. It is a story that the children enjoy, especially the boy.

The above are published by Ginn & Co., Chicago.

The Centralia fair failed to pay expenses this year and attributes it to too much horse racing and to too little pumpkin, but we have noticed at county fairs that mighty few people are to be found in the floral hall when a right lively "boss" race is being pulled off.—Brookfield Gazette.

Senator Warner was "rolled" at the meeting of the Republican State Central committee at St. Louis yesterday. The Taft boom in Missouri was wrapped up in the same blanket with the Senator and both went down the skids together.

Will Losson sought and has secured the position of Burlington Agent at Wheeling.

Dr. R. Mudd, of St. Charles, spent a portion of last week in Monroe with Patrick Mudd. It was the first time they had met in 18 years.

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65 Head of Pure Bred
DUROC-JERSEY HOGS

Males and Females

Some of the best blood in the

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SEPTEMBER 26, 1907

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SHELBYVILLE, MO.

George W. Discher was transacting business in Palmyra, Thursday.

Ex Mayor Samuel North and wife of Perry, have been spending several days with their many friends in Monroe who are always glad to see them.

Judge and Mrs. Samuel Fields of Humansville, are with Monroe friends who were truly glad to meet them and entertain them again.

H. M. McCann and wife, of Osborne, have been spending several days with relatives.

Lon Harrington, of Rosserville, Ill., has been visiting his friend, Willie Young.

Ed L. Rees and wife, of Muskogee, I. T., have been with their many Monroe friends who are always glad to see them.

Charles Glitsch, formerly of west of the city but now of Ladonia, has been spending several days with his old neighbors.

When the Monroe City News yells itself into connption fits over Joey Windy Folk, just remember that Mr. Cox is a Folk appointee.

W. O. Gardner, of the Center Herald, attended the fair and paid the DEMOCRAT a fraternal call.

Mrs. J. C. Bailey, of Hannibal, has been the guest of her friends, M. B. Garner and wife.

Leo Baxter and wife and Cooper McAfee and wife, of Palmyra, have been with Monroe friends.

Mrs. Lee Stoddard, of Avon, Ill., has been visiting her brothers, T. J. and Charles Sharp.

John Kizer, J. A. Piersol, Joseph Saudifer and Ed Burditt transacted business in Palmyra, Friday.

The two bear cubs that were exhibited on the fair grounds sold for \$50.

Miss Emma Garner, of Atchison, Kansas, has been visiting her uncles, Andrew and M. B. Garner.

J. C. Mudd and wife, of Hannibal, spent last week with Mrs. Mudd's parents, Edward Hardesty and wife.

Miss Myrtle and Harry Bicker, of Chambersburg, Ill., have been the guests of their sister, Mrs. Otis Webb.